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Project Name: Freeman Ground Water Contamination
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Contacted By: Linda Ader
Person Contacted: Kirk Lally
Title: Freeman School District Facilities Manager
Agency/Affiliation: Freeman School District
Telephone Number: 509-291-3695
Subject: Freeman School District Sanitary Wastewater Treatment System and Stormwater Management
Content: Mr. Lally stated that the sanitary wastewater treatment lagoons were installed in approximately 1994. The sanitary wastewater treatment system operates under NPDES permit WA-004540-3 under supervision by the Washington State Department of Ecology. Ecology contacts are Don Nichols (former contact at 509-329-3524) and Cynthia Wall (current contact at cywa461@ecy.wa.gov). Both wastewater lagoons have 60-mil HDPE liners. These were inspected and repaired in September 2008. At that time, approximately 20 rips, tears, or punctures along the edges of the liners were repaired. The newly revised NPDES permit has placed a requirement on the school district to conduct a comprehensive leak detection survey in 2017. Stormwater on campus either infiltrates the ground or gravity flows to swales. This stormwater does not enter the sanitary wastewater treatment system.